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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

CHINA SUGAR REFINING CO. LIMITED.
NOTICE.

IN accordance with the Provisions of No. 131 of the ARTICLES OF ASSOCIATION, the General Assembly here this day declared an INTERIM DIVIDEND of 2 PER CENT. for the Half-year ending 30th June, 1899, on the PAID-UP CAPITAL of the Company.

JARDINE, MATHESON & CO. General Managers.
Hongkong, 17th August, 1899. [2068]

THE CHINA AND MANILA STEAMSHIP CO. LIMITED.

FOR MANILA.

THE Company's New Steamship.

"DIAMANTE".

Captain G. A. Taylor, will be despatched for a north port on MONDAY, the 21st instant, at 5 p.m.

The attention of Passengers is directed to the excellent accommodation provided by this steamer. She is fitted throughout with Electric Light.

For Freight or Passage, apply to SHEWAN, TOMES & CO., General Managers.

Hongkong, 17th August, 1899. [2071]

INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND CALCUTTA.

THE Company's Steamship.

"CHELYDRA".

Captain Davies, will be despatched on above on THURSDAY, the 24th inst., at Noon.

For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & CO., General Managers.

Hongkong, 18th August, 1899. [2082]

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship.

"PENANG".

FROM BOMBAY, COLOMBO, AND STRAITS.

Consignees of Cargo by the above-named vessel are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed and placed at their risk in the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company's Godowns at Kowloon, where each consignment will be sorted out Mark by Mark and delivery can be obtained as soon as the goods are landed.

This vessel brings on Cargo:—From London per s.s. Australia and Arabia. From Australia per s.s. Australia and Arabia. From Persian Gulf per s.s. B.S.N. and B. & P. N. Co.'s steamers.

Optional goods will be landed here unless instructions are given to the contrary before 1 p.m. To-day.

Goods not cleared by the 3rd inst., at 4 p.m., will be subject to rent.

No Fire Insurance will be effected by me in any case where the cargo is not insured.

All damaged packages must be left in the Godowns and a certificate of the damage obtained from the Godown Company within ten days after the vessel's arrival here, after which no claims will be received.

H. A. HUTCHESON, Superintendent.

Hongkong, 17th August, 1899. [1]

THE HONGKONG WEEKLY PRESS will be ready to-morrow and will contain:—

Leading Articles.

The Political Position and Kowloon's Share Bill.

The Diamond Jubilee Memorials.

Lives and Dates.

Supplies of the Diamond Jubilee Commemorative.

Meeting of the Diamond Jubilee Committee.

Affairs in the Philippines.

Hongkong General Chamber of Commerce.

Hongkong Sanitary Board.

Fire at Hongkong Dock.

Reported Annexation of Sancha Island by France.

Enquiry at the Harbour Office.

Typhoon at Fuchow.

Typhoon at Kobe.

The Sancha Rising.

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PUBLIC COMPANIES

HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

NOTICE is hereby given that the ORDINARY HALF-YEARLY MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS of the Corporation will be held on SATURDAY, the 19th August, 1899, at 2.30 p.m., at their Rooms, 105, House Street.

By Order of the Court of Directors, T. JACKSON, Chief Manager.

Hongkong, 31st July, 1899. [1973]

HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

NOTICE is hereby given that the REGISTRATION of SHARES of the Corporation will be closed from SATURDAY, the 19th August, 1899, at 2.30 p.m., at their Rooms, 105, House Street.

By Order of the Court of Directors, T. JACKSON, Chief Manager.

Hongkong, 31st July, 1899. [1974]

HONGKONG HOTEL COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE.

THE ORDINARY HALF-YEARLY MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS of the Company will be held at the Company's Hotel on MONDAY, the 21st August, 1899, at Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors and to transact any business that may be brought before the Meeting.

By Order of the Board, C. MOONEY, Secretary.

Hongkong, 29th July, 1899. [1968]

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE ORDINARY HALF-YEARLY MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS of the Company will be held at the Company's Office, QUEEN'S BUILDINGS, CONNAUGHT ROAD, on MONDAY, the 21st August, 1899, at 3 o'clock p.m., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors and to transact any business that may be brought before the Meeting.

By Order of the Board, T. I. ROSE, Secretary.

Hongkong, 1st August, 1899. [1968]

THE HONGKONG ELECTRIC COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that an EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the Company will be held at the Company's Office, QUEEN'S BUILDINGS, CONNAUGHT ROAD, on MONDAY, the 21st August, 1899, at 3 o'clock p.m., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors and to transact any business that may be brought before the Meeting.

By Order of the Board, T. I. ROSE, Secretary.

Hongkong, 1st August, 1899. [1968]

OLIVERS BREEDHOLD MINES LIMITED.

IN accordance with Article No. VIII. Paragraph 3 of the ARTICLES OF ASSOCIATION of the Company, INTEREST in the mine at Olivers Breedhold is being charged on all UNPAID CALLS.

JOHN D. HUMPHREYS & SON, General Managers.

Hongkong, 9th August, 1899. [2097]

THE PUNJON MINING COMPANY, LIMITED.

IN accordance with Article No. 26 and 27 of the ARTICLES OF ASSOCIATION of the Company, NOTICE is hereby given that the following Shares will be liable to be FORFEITED, unless the Call due on the 17th DAY OF APRIL LAST be paid, together with INTEREST at 10 per Cent. per Annum, to the Office of the Company, No. 9, PRINCE CENTRAL, on or before the 1st day of September, 1899.

The following are the distinguishing Numbers of the Company's Shares:—

11961/11985 34369/34391

50165/50189 36213/36234

16245/16269 23011/23033

36145/36169 42141/42163

25852/25876 45328

20887/20911 56130/56158

20932/20956 46074/46110

25733/25757 45011/45035

32041/32065 47201/47219

25644/25668 47840/47880

50406/50430 47970/47979

W. H. GASKELL, Acting Secretary.

Hongkong, 17th August, 1899. [2069]

LANE, CRAWFORD & CO.

FOR STRAW HATS.

HOSIERY.

BOOTS AND SHOES.

TRUNKS AND HOLLANDS.

BISMARCK & CO.

SHIP CHANDLERS, PROVISION, AND COAL MERCHANTS, have for sale Patents of all kinds, Engine Oil, English and Japanese Coal. Also received a shipment of LAWSON'S PATENT CAST STEEL WIRE, ROPES, IRON BEDS, INDICATOR and BELLS with Nos. 6 to 24, Russian lamp, tarred ropes, 1 to 5, Most & Chandon Champagne, Sole Agents for Deane & Co.'s KILN-TEMPERED and LAGER BEER.

Hongkong, 7th August, 1899. [2021]

INSURANCE

NATIONAL ASSURANCE COMPANY OF IRELAND.

ESTABLISHED 1823.

CAPITAL £1,000,000

FUND (OVER) £600,000

The Undersigned, having been appointed AGENTS for the above Company, are prepared to ACCEPT RISKS against FIRE at Current Rates.

RADECKER & CO., Agents.

Hongkong, 19th September, 1898. [al988]

AUCTIONS

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned have received instructions to sell by PUBLIC AUCTION, FOR ACCOUNT OF THE CONCERNED, TO-MORROW (SATURDAY), the 19th August, 1899, at 2.30 p.m., at their Sales Rooms, 105, House Street, A FINE AND VALUABLE COLLECTION OF POSTAGE STAMPS, (Remaining portion of last Saturday's Sale, Commencing with Lot 40.)

TERMS:—As usual.

HUGHES & HOUGH, Auctioneers.

Hongkong, 17th August, 1899. [2068]

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

No. 415.

THE following Particulars of Sale of CROWN LAND by PUBLIC AUCTION, to be held at the Office of the Public Works Department, on MONDAY, the 21st day of August, 1899, at 3 p.m., are published for general information.

By Command, J. H. STEWART LOCKHART, Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 6th August, 1899. [2971]

Particulars of the Letting by Public Auction, to be held on MONDAY, the 21st day of August, 1899, at 3 p.m., at the Office of the Public Works Department, by Order of His Excellency the Governor, of Two Lots of Crown Land, at Yau Ma Tei, Kowloon, in the Colony of Hongkong, for a term of 75 Years, with the option of renewal at a Crown Rent to be fixed by the Surveyor to Her Majesty the Queen, for one-fortieth part of 75 years.

PARTICULARS OF THE LOTS.

Lot 1. Situated in the District of Kowloon, between the Boundary of the Colony and the Boundary of the Colony, containing an area of 10,000 square feet, more or less, as shown on the plan deposited in the Office of the Public Works Department, and marked "Lot 1."

Lot 2. Situated in the District of Kowloon, between the Boundary of the Colony and the Boundary of the Colony, containing an area of 10,000 square feet, more or less, as shown on the plan deposited in the Office of the Public Works Department, and marked "Lot 2."

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SHIPPING REPORTS.

The British steamer *Bengal*, from Bombay 2nd August, and Singapore 12th, had light wind and the weather, her topmast.

The British steamer *Medusa*, from Bangkok via Swatow 16th August, had light to fresh S.W. winds to Cape Pateran. From Pateran to Swatow light southerly winds. From Swatow to port light southerly wind and showery. Ships in Swatow—*Reconquer*, *Canton*, *Yihang*, *Hobson*, *Peking*, and *St. Helens*.

VESSELS PASSED ANJER.

July 31. New York steamer *Andromeda*, May 19, from Shanghai for London.

July 31. Dutch steamer *Prinses Amalia*, Turfboer, June 24, from Amsterdam for Batavia.

Aug. 1. British ship *Perseus*, Blackhead, July 28, from Swatow for Newcastle (N.S.W.).

Aug. 2. Dutch steamer *Beema*, Udena, August 2, from Batavia for Rotterdam.

Aug. 3. British ship *Kennamer*, Ellis, June 14, from New York for London.

Aug. 3. German ship *Wandelaar*, Lorenzen, April 30, from Philadelphia for Nagasaki.

Aug. 3. British ship *Twined*, Syverson, from Cape Horn for Batavia.

Aug. 4. British ship *Chickmarchant*, Thompson, April 15, from Cardiff for Anjer.

Aug. 4. Dutch ship *Gouverneur Robis*, Nichols, May 5, from New York for Hongkong.

Aug. 4. Norwegian bark *Silence*, Knutsen, from Table Bay for Samarang.

Aug. 5. British ship *Easty*, from Table Bay for Batavia.

Aug. 5. Italian ship *Saturnus*, Porsas, April 28, from New York for Anjer.

INTIMATIONS.

CANTON.

WANTED TO RENT from 1st October or later a 5 or 6 ROOMED HOUSE (if possible with a SMALL GARDEN) at SHAMPOO.

Care of Daily Press Office, Hongkong, 11th August, 1899. [2063]

SHOOTING SEASON.

JUST LANDED

FLY'S SPORTING CARTRIDGES.

SCHULTZ SMOKELESS POWDER.

1 lb. CANISTERS.

E. C. CARTRIDGES.

NEWCASTLE CHILLED SHOT.

JEFFREYS GUNS, &c. &c.

WM. SCHMIDT & CO., BEACONSFIELD ACADEMY, Hongkong, 15th August, 1899. [1777]

FOR SALE.

C. H. S. HEIDSECK'S

CHAMPAGNE, 1898 WHITE SEAL.

\$8.00 per case of 1 dozen quarts.

\$4.00 per case of 2 dozen quarts.

E. D. KESSMANN & CO'S

RED AND WHITE

BORDEAUX WINES.

C. G. HIBBERT & CO'S

BOTTLED ALE & STOUT

RIEMSEN & CO. [1391]

VIOLINS.

SPECIAL OFFER.

1 VIOLIN of Excellent Quality. Complete for \$20.

1 CASE.

1 BOW.

1 TUTOR.

MODELS FOR CONNISEURS.

Voigt Model, price \$100.

Do. do. do. 120.

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